

TELEGRAPH NEWS OF THE WEEK

MEATLESS DAY NOT A SUCCESS

LONDON, May 9—The meatless day throughout Great Britain has been abolished by governmental order. It is believed that it resulted in the increased demand for other foods which are not so plentiful, and consequently failed in its purpose.

DANIELS SANGUINE OVER ANTI-SUBMARINE PLANS

WASHINGTON, May 9—High officials in the navy and members of the naval consulting board held a lengthy conference yesterday at the home of Secretary Daniels. After the conference the secretary said "they believe they are on the right road, but there are additional experiments to be made by them before the plans they have mapped out are complete. Those plans are wonderful; they are based upon an idea that has been undreamed of heretofore, and will prove, I hope of far-reaching importance."

AMERICAN CONCERN FOR TREASON?

WASHINGTON, May 8—The federal government, it was learned today, is investigating the activities of the steamer Manitowoc of the American Transatlantic Company, and other vessels of the same concern. They are said to have carried supplies to German submarines in the Atlantic.

ASKS ABSOLUTE CONTROL OF FOODS

NEW YORK, May 9—Herbert C. Hoover, chairman of the food control commission, has recommended to the senate committee on agriculture that his bureau be made a separate department of the government and be clothed with absolute powers over the distribution and sale of certain staple food products, particularly wheat and sugar.

Local sugar men believe such a plan will have a depressing effect on sugar prices, but owing to the general world food shortage that the reduction will not be serious.

WANTS BILLION FOR MERCHANT MARINE

WASHINGTON, May 8—Congress will be asked for a billion dollars, it was learned today, as an appropriation to construct an enormous American merchant marine to run the U-boat lines and assure America's European allies against shortage of food and munitions.

HEEN TO BE CONFIRMED

WASHINGTON, May 8—The senate judiciary committee yesterday afternoon ordered a favorable report on the nomination of William H. Heen as judge of the first circuit, Hawaii.

BAVARIA MAY SOON BE HUNGRY

BASEL, Switzerland, May 6—Unless Germany succeeds in getting food supplies by the middle of August, her people will be reduced to a vegetarian diet exclusively. According to a despatch from Munich this startling state of affairs was revealed by Herr Brettreich, Bavarian minister of the interior, in an address before the popular assembly of the kingdom.

STEEL TRUST LENDS MILLIONS

NEW YORK, May 9—The board of directors of the United States Steel Corporation yesterday voted to subscribe \$25,000,000 to the Liberty Loan.

WHO'LL BE A PRIVATE?

WASHINGTON, May 9—The war department announced last night that to date more than a quarter of a million applicants have filed their application for the officer's training camp.

AMERICAN STEAMER SUNK

NEW YORK, May 8—The steamship Parthenon, which left New York on April 14 for Havre, France has been sunk by a German submarine. The loss of the ship and cargo totals \$4,000,000.

MAY BUY ENTIRE LIQUOR TRADE

LONDON, May 8—The London Times of Tuesday morning, will claim that it has authority for the statement that the government has formally decided to adopt a policy of purchase of the whole of the liquor trade in the United Kingdom.

GOMPERS URGES RUSSIANS TO STAND FIRM

WASHINGTON, May 8—Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor expressed himself as delighted yesterday when it was announced that the Russian soldiers and workingmen's delegates have come out solidly against a premature peace. He sent a long cable to Russia aimed at combatting the German influence that is known to be at work in Petrograd, urging the need for harmony in fighting the battle for democracy.

PREPARING FOR 3 YEARS OF WAR

CLEVELAND, May 8—Secretary of War Baker, who arrived here yesterday from Washington for a brief trip, has indicated that the war department is making preparations for a three-year war at least for the United States, and that there is little hope for early peace.

HOLLWEG TO BE THE GOAT

COPENHAGEN, May 8—The Conservatives and the pan-German parties are blaming Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg for the long duration of the war, claiming that his delay of four days in mobilization at the beginning of the war caused the loss of the battle of the Marne and that he threw away the second chance to terminate the war by opposing the policy of a ruthless submarine campaign.

GREEKS WOULD OUST CONSTANTINE

LONDON, May 9—Sunday was a great day at Salonika, according to the despatches forwarded from Athens yesterday by the Reuter correspondent at the Greek capital. That day, at a mass meeting attended by forty thousand Greeks, King Constantine was formally declared to have forfeited his throne and his dynasty was declared to have no further rights in Greece.

BRITISH CONTINUE TO PROGRESS

BRITISH HEADQUARTERS, May 7—(From an Associated Press Correspondent).—The British forces on the new line of drive are well within the town of Bullecourt.

NEW ANTI-SUBMARINE INVENTION

NEW YORK, May 7—Commissioner Saunders of the naval consulting board announced on Saturday that it is believed an inventor who is not named has solved the German submarine menace and that the plans have been forwarded to Washington. No details are given out as to the invention which is expected to block the U-boats in their attacks on Allied and American shipping.

PORTUGAL RENTS GERMAN SHIPS

LISBON, May 7—Sixty out of 76 German steamers which were seized by Portugal when relations were broken with Berlin have been rented to England for \$7,000,000.

LONDON AGAIN BOMBARDED

LONDON, May 7—A hostile airplane today dropped four bombs in London. One man killed and several injured.

GERMANS AIMING AT PETROGRAD

PETROGRAD, May 7—General Korniloff, commanding the Petrograd garrison, announced last night that the Germans are now gathering large numbers on both the northern and southern lines. It is known, says his report, that the Germans have sent a number of merchant ships to Libau, where they are prepared to land troops just as soon as the ice melts sufficiently to allow the vessels to reach the wharves. The reorganization of the Petrograd garrison has been ordered to meet the emergency.

MAY FORCE INTERVENTION IN CUBA

NEW YORK, May 7—The insurrection in Cuba has broken out once again, and the rebels are burning, looting and wrecking wherever they find themselves in power.

A party of American and British refugees, which arrived here last night brings word that the condition of affairs in the eastern provinces of the island are far worse than they have been in the past and even declare that the remaining foreigners are threatened with massacre, unless the United States government can intervene immediately to put a stop to the revolt.

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